

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Applicant(s): Xiang

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Title: A Method for Maintaining Data Flow in a  
Network Device Combining Diffserv and IPSEC  
Protocols

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Commissioner for Patents

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of April 30, 2007, please amend this application as follows: